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School Officials Discuss Desegregation, School Site

by Jordan Choper

Dr. Carl W. Hassel, Deputy Superintendent of Public Schools of Prince George's County and his assistant, Colonel Elliott Robertson, spoke to fifty people last Monday evening on the subject of desegregation of Prince Georges County Schools. The talk occurred at Mishkan Torah.

Dr. Hassel gave a twenty minute review of the history of desegregation of Prince George's County Schools and explained the new proposed system of distribution of students by school areas within the county for next year. Because Prince George's County is growing rapidly, and because certain communities are rapidly changing in population, the distribution of students to the various high schools within the county will have to be revised each year in order to maintain integration and prevent overcrowding of all high schools. No student will be transported out of one geographic school area to another geographic school area. However each geographic school area may change boundaries each year. The proposed desegregation plan does not effect elementary and jr. high schools.

It was pointed out that there is organized opposition to the Board's plan of desegregation by many citizen groups. There has been almost no voice heard supporting the desegregation plan. It was mentioned that if the silent majority is in favor of desegregation, then they better let themselves be heard at Annapolis and Upper Marlboro.

Because of the interest of the residents of Greenbelt in the question of the school site within the City of Greenbelt, Dr. Hassel and Colonel Robertson answered many questions on the subject. Basically, a summary of all the answers to the questions asked gave this reporter the impression that the final decision on the school site was made three years ago and that now it will be implemented. The area west of the lake has serious "communication" problems and therefore was rejected. The proposed site is in the center of what will be developed Greenbelt (especially when the land on the eastern side of the parkway is developed). Thus it is the view of the planners in the Board of Education that the proposed site will serve the community better once the city is fully developed.

It can be inferred from the presentation that even though the majority of the citizens of the City of Greenbelt are against the proposed site, the final decision had been made and will be enacted. The Board of Education is not in the road building business and it is not concerned about the difficulties of building the perimeter road.

Census Forms in the Mail

There will be something in the mail this Saturday, March 28 for your household. The Bureau of the Census has turned over to the Post Office questionnaires for the 1970 Census of Population and Housing addressed to every home in the area. The questionnaires bear only the addresses, no names.

Census Bureau office managers ask that you watch for the large white envelope with blue lettering that will contain the questionnaire for your household, as well as a yellow sheet of helpful instructions on how to fill it out, and a brown, postage-free envelope for mailing it back.

The familiar Census '70 symbol—a hard penciling in a circle—appears on the envelope with this message: This envelope contains your official census form. Please fill it out and mail it back on Wednesday, April 1.

WHAT GOES ON

Fri., Mar. 27, 8:30 p.m. Duplicate Bridge. Co-op Hospitality Room.

Mon., Mar. 30 9 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt, Lake Park.
8 p.m. Special Council Meeting, Municipal Bldg.

Wed., April 1, 8:30 p.m. Boxwood Civic Assoc., American Legion Hall.

Thurs., April 2, 8 p.m. Tennis Association Meets, Municipal Building.

Architects Present Plans For Bay End of Lake

A group of residents living in the vicinity of the bay end of the lake, on Maplewood, Olivewood, and Pinecrest Courts, met with city officials, members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, and representatives of landscape architects' firm, Schlafman and Hanses, concerning plans for landscaping and developing parkland in that area of the lake.

The proposal presented calls for extensive planting of trees especially in a buffer strip alongside the rear fences of residences in the area. Those plantings would in effect reduce the size of a large open field below Olivewood Ct. which is currently used for ball playing. The purpose of the size reduction is to encourage older ballplayers to use the more extensive playing fields beyond the dam on the other side of the lake, while at the same time leaving a smaller playing area nearby which would be suitable for small children.

Other features proposed by the landscape firm include a network of pathways through the area, including one path to parallel the fence line but outside the buffer strip of trees beside adjacent properties. Playground equipment would be placed at the present intersection of the path from Olivewood Ct. with the lake path that cuts north as an extension of Lakecrest Drive. A multi-purpose court would be placed near the corner formed by the intersection of Lakecrest and Prince James Way.

Nearby residents expressed general approval of the plans but recommended three changes. They requested a fence of posts and chains along the proposed pathway near the residences, as well as a pathway along the drainage ditch through the wooded area behind Pinecrest Ct. at the rear of the residential property lines. They also strongly urged that the drainage ditch from the silt trap be piped and graded over to extend the level field area near the woods.

PRAB directed the landscape architects to submit two plans for consideration - their original proposal and an amended proposal, based on the suggestions of the resident attending the meeting.

BOXWOOD CIVIC MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Boxwood Civic Association will be held Wednesday, April 1, at the American Legion Hall on Greenbelt Rd. at 8:30 p.m.

Library Dedication Near

The new Greenbelt Branch of Prince Georges County Memorial Library will be dedicated on Tuesday, April 7, at 8 p.m., Miss Elizabeth B. Hage, county library director, announced. The branch will open to the public April 8.

The 35,000-square-foot structure with a book capacity of 125,000 was designed by Walton & Madden, Riverdale architects, and constructed by Avery Construction Co., Edmonston, at a cost of \$794,200.

Miss Hage said the program and speakers would be announced later. Charles A. Dukes president of the board of library trustees, will introduce speakers and guests, including Greenbelt library friends and officials.

The Greenbelt Branch, now housed in one room at the Center School, was begun in 1939. Its first book collection was catalogued by a group of WPA workers in Baltimore. By 1945 Greenbelt's was the largest of the three libraries then in existence, the other two being Laurel and Hyattsville. By 1951 the library employed two full-time people and had 11,000 volumes. It joined the Prince Georges County Memorial Library system in 1955.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new library were held on March 10, 1968.

Moratorium on New School Construction

The Prince Georges County Commissioners have invoked a "partial moratorium" on capital construction projects and programs until the end of the current fiscal year.

In a memo to all County government department heads last week, County Commissioners' chairman Francis J. Aluisi said that due to "legal considerations," the County will not be in a position to sell bonds for capital projects until June.

Mr. Aluisi explained that since it takes approximately 30 days from the date of sale to effect delivery and settlement of bonds, no new funds will be available until sometime in July.

"This means that the County will have to finance its capital program, including schools from existing bond funds which are severely limited at this time."

The chairman said for that reason "no contract will be awarded unless it is absolutely essential to the operation of the County government."

GHI TAX HEARING

The hearing of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. before the Maryland Tax Court will be resumed on Thursday, April 9. During the March 18 hearing, the only witness heard was GHI general manager Roy Breashears. GHI is appealing the reassessment of its properties by the Prince Georges County Assessor's Office. The county assessor raised GHI's assessed valuation from \$6,404,000 to \$7,977,680—an increase of \$1,575,000 or 25 percent.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

CITY COUNCIL WILL MEET ON MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1970 at 8:00 P.M., TO CONSIDER THE PRELIMINARY PLAN FOR GLEN OAKS APARTMENTS ON GREENBELT ROAD AND THE MATTER OF SPECIAL EXCEPTION APPLICATION TO PERMIT BEDROOMS IN EXCESS OF THE NUMBER PERMITTED BY ZONING ORDINANCE.

GUDRUN H. MILLS
CITY CLERK

Greenbelt Maps Last-Ditch Effort to Move School Site

by Al Skolnik

With the bids on the new senior high school being delayed until late June because of a county moratorium on issuance of bonds for capital construction projects, a last-ditch effort by the city council was launched on Monday evening to have the school site changed. Supported enthusiastically by an audience of upwards of 100 people, a multi-pronged campaign was voted unanimously by council. Petitions signed by 1100 citizens were presented by Save Our Community Committee (SOCC) urging that council take immediate and decisive action to halt further negotiations for the construction of the school complex on parcel 2 (the land between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and 36 to 44 courts of Ridge).

The gist of the protest is that the location on parcel 2 of the three-school complex which would consist of a senior high school, a junior high school and an elementary school would create intolerable and hazardous traffic problems. Since the site is virtually landlocked, school traffic would have to traverse over a mile of existing narrow, residential roads in Greenbelt's core to get to the major arterial highways of Greenbelt Road and Kenilworth Ave.

The city maintains that only a "smooth-sailing" perimeter road would provide a direct access to the school site from these major arterial highways. But this perimeter road would cost in the hundreds of thousands of dollars, and the city of Greenbelt says that it is in no position to shoulder that burden. Both the State Roads Commission and the County Board of Education have disclaimed re-

22 neighbors, 21 of whom wanted to have the school site moved. Yet, "we are being ignored. Our rights are being crushed." Another citizen asked point-blank: "Don't we have the right to determine where the school site should be? How can we have a system like this?"

Alternative Sites

Among the alternative sites mentioned were (1) the Smith-Ewing property east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway; (2) parcel 15 south of Greenbelt Lake; (3) Springhill Lake property north of the Beltway and west of Kenilworth Ave; and (4) a portion of Beltsville Farm north of Lakeside North Apartments. The school board had indicated that one of the problems in moving the site would be to find another area of comparable size and price. In addition, the school board stressed that it had sunk considerable sums

City Moves Fast

Wasting no time in initiating its last ditch effort to have the senior high school removed from parcel 2, the city council within 24 hours of last Monday's meeting was successful in having the following joint Senate-House resolution introduced by State Senator Edward T. Conroy on Tuesday, March 24. According to Mayor Francis White, Vice-Chairman Arthur Dorman of the Prince Georges County delegation has also indicated his support of the resolution; other delegates had not been contacted by press time.

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Joint Senate and House Resolution

WHEREAS the Prince George's County Board of Education proposes to construct a Senior High School on Parcel Number 2 in the City of Greenbelt, and

WHEREAS, the proposed site for the new facility may have an adverse effect on the character of the neighborhood, and

WHEREAS, there appear to be alternate sites available which would reduce the impact on the City of Greenbelt now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the General Assembly of the State of Maryland that a moratorium be and is hereby declared on the construction of the Senior High School on Parcel Number 2 in the City of Greenbelt until the Prince George's County Board of Education as it is now constituted has explored with the Mayor and City Council of the City of Greenbelt all other alternate sites.

sponsibility for providing assistance with the road situation.

Plan of Action

Among the steps proposed by council were: (1) a review by its city solicitor to determine what legal action the city or citizens can take to reverse the location of the school site; (2) a campaign to contact once again all elected officials (county commissioners, State legislative delegation, etc.) regarding Greenbelt's desire for an acceptable and suitable high school site; (3) compilation of economic, cost, and other data that could be used to make a comparative analysis of the various sites that have been proposed as an alternative to parcel 2; (4) an invitation to school board members and officials to visit Greenbelt and to inspect alternative sites; and (5) a merging of efforts with other organizations and jurisdictions interested in having a school board responsive to local interests.

Complaints of the insensitivity of county officials to the needs of Greenbelt echoed again and again throughout the evening. William Lathom, SOCC chairman, said, "We are being dictated to by insensitive public servants who do not live here and do not have to suffer the consequences of their arbitrary decisions." L. R. Batra of Plateau Pl., a recently naturalized American citizen, said he chose to live in America because of its stress on citizens' rights. He said he knocked on the doors of

of money in architectural plans for the three-school complex on parcel 2.

Greenbelt Homes, Inc., president Charles Schwan, in pledging GHI financial support to the city for a comparative cost analysis study of sites, said that the purpose of such a study would be to ascertain all the costs involved — not just the land purchase costs, or the architectural costs, and not just the costs to the school board but the costs as well to the city, county, and State.

Schwan said that GHI stands ready to assist in any way in persuading "the powers that be that this is not a good site selection." He said, however that this issue should be separated from that of the perimeter road, which "sooner or later will have to go in."

Other members of the audience speculated that when State and county officials realize what would be needed in tax road funds to provide adequate access to the school site, the alternative of moving the school would be much more attractive economically.

Perimeter Road Still Needed

Mayor Francis White and other councilmen warned, however, that moving the school site would not eliminate the need for a perimeter road, only postpone it. Whenever the empty tracts in Greenbelt get developed, White said, the city will have a problem in getting people in and out of these areas, especially (See City Council, p. 2, c 1)

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parcels 1 and 2. "Council," he said "has a responsibility to see that traffic is moved in the city." However, he conceded that if the school site were moved, the construction of the perimeter road could await the development of the land and sharing of costs by the developers.

In response to a question from the audience, Councilman Edgar Smith said that there was no way for the city to block access to these parcels through the city's present public rights-of-way though the city would not be required to pay for the hook-up with the city streets.

White said that if there is no perimeter road Laurel Hill, Plateau Place, Northway, Gardenway, and Hamilton Place would bear the brunt of the traffic generated by parcels 1 and 2. Earlier in the evening Lester Wilkerson, a traffic engineer with the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, said that development of parcels 1 and 2 according to the zoning recommended in the latest master plan would generate daily average traffic of 3,500 to 4,000 vehicles a day with a peak flow of about 600 cars an hour (exclusive of school traffic).

However, some residents of Research Road, fearful of the proximity of the perimeter road to their property, expressed the view that there was no need for a perimeter road. They argued that one leg of the perimeter road going south from the school site through the Smith-Ewing property would be sufficient to take care of traffic generated in parcels 1 and 2. Mayor White conceded that a two-lane, slow-speed, perimeter road going south over the Parkway was all that the city would need at this time if the three-school complex were not moved. City manager James Giese said that the city would make a maximum effort to move the perimeter road as far away from the GHI property line as possible. He noted, however, that there was a northern limit because the Beltsville Farm did not want to swap land that had been used for diseased animal experiments.

McDonald Opposes

Another person who expressed opposition to the concept of the perimeter road was Charles T. McDonald, former Greenbelt city manager. He argued for another road parallel to Ridge Road running south from the school property that would join Southway near the 7 and 9 courts by the Little League Ballfield. Both councilmen White and Smith and former Advisory Planning Board member Harvey Geller noted that this idea had been discarded years ago because it would funnel all the traffic onto Southway and create a bottleneck at the Southway-Greenbelt Rd. intersection.

McDonald, however, received enthusiastic support from the audience when he took the MNCPPC to task for not living up to its responsibilities in safeguarding the planned community by approving a site plan for the three-school complex. McDonald said that "the school is an industrial plant and should have been placed on an industrial site." He noted that other Greenbelt towns have obtained court orders forbidding the development of the belts of green around their towns.

In rejoinder, MNCPPC development chief, Roy Cowell, said that MNCPPC does not determine where schools are to be placed. It acts only as an advisory body and approves site plans to make sure that the plans adhere to the zoning requirements and provide adequate utilities. Mayor White also defended MNCPPC by saying that the

Holy Cross Lutherans Celebrate Holy Week

Holy Cross Lutheran Church-M.S., will hold a communion service at 8 p.m. Maundy Thursday. On Good Friday, at 7 p.m., there will be a Tenebrae service. On Sunday, Easter festival services will be conducted at both the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services. A special choir will sing at all of these occasions, and the Reverend Edward H. Birner, pastor of the congregation, will give the sermons.

All Sunday School classes will meet as usual at 9:45 a.m.

Neighbors and friends wishing to join in worshipping at any of these services are invited to come.

Boys'-Girls' Club News

Boys' baseball and girls softball sign up is continuing Saturday March 28 and April 4. It is very important that everyone sign up at this time, so that the summer program can be planned and the needed equipment purchased.

Two very important meetings for adults are to be held concerning the reorganizing of the Greenbelt Boys' and Girls' Club; one on April 2 at the City Council Meeting room, the other on April 9 at Springhill Lake Elementary School. Both meetings are at 8 p.m.

We strongly urge all adults to attend one of these meetings and help plan the future of this organization.

city and MNCPPC have worked very closely together in the last few years on retaining the low-density development of Greenbelt and on solving Greenbelt's traffic problems through a perimeter road. White also noted that MNCPPC had originally favored parcel 15 as the senior high school site.

Other Opposition

Opposition to the perimeter road also stemmed from the fear of some that agitation for its development at this time would draw attention away from the need to move the school site. Milton Hoffman thundered that each successful pressure move by the city to get assistance for the perimeter road is "an assurance to the school board that we have accepted the school." Councilwoman Elizabeth Maffay, although stating her general approval of a perimeter road, said that there was some merit to the thought that by stressing the perimeter road "we may be conceding that the school site will remain on parcel 2."

Hoffman also stressed that the pressure to zone parcel 1 for apartments will increase with the construction of the school. He reminded the audience that rezoning applications by the owners of parcel 1 are scheduled for a hearing before MNCPPC in May.

Rhea Cohen, vice-chairman of SOCC, proposed that council support the introduction of bills in the Maryland State Legislature which would protect Greenbelt from changes in traffic patterns and zoning which would violate the original land use plan. She thought some public body, such as the Maryland Historical Trust, would need to be designated to protect Greenbelt as an historical site. SOCC leaders stressed the desirability of a letter-writing campaign to acquaint elected officials with Greenbelt's plight. SOCC also mentioned the need for funds, which can be donated at Twin Pines.

At the start of Monday's meeting, Giese gave a visual exposition, complete with lantern slides, of the history, development, and need for the perimeter road, which was very well received.

Recreation Review

Annual Easter Egg Hunt

The Easter Egg Hunt will be open to children from pre-school through sixth grade. Four age groupings will be designated: pre-school, 1st and 2nd grades, 3rd and 4th grades and 5th and 6th grades. Prizes will be awarded in each age group for finding a basket, special egg and gold egg. The Hunt will get under way at 9 a.m. Monday, March 30, at the Lake Park.

Model Boat Regatta

Sailboats, radio controlled models, and perhaps even a model hydroplane will be on Greenbelt Lake this Sunday. At 1 p.m. members of the Capitol Radio Control Model Boat Club will meet informally to swap boat talk and action. Led by Greenbelter, Jim Schubauer, the Greenbelt division of the Club is growing steadily as increasing numbers of boys and Dads become interested in this fascinating hobby.

Boys' Club Basketball Tournament

Finals for the 16 and under will be played tonight, Thursday at 8 and 9 p.m. in the Youth Center. On Saturday, from 1-5 p.m., the quarter finals will be held for the 13 and under.

COMMITTEE RESIGNATIONS

Following a Festival Steering Committee meeting on March 23, Chairman Leo Gerton, Treasurer Cathy Foster and Parade Chairman Martin Anderson announced their resignations from the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Steering Committee.

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HOLY THURSDAY

Confessions 4:00 - 5:00 P.M.
Solemn Liturgy 7:30 P.M.

GOOD FRIDAY

All Day Adoration
Stations of Cross 12 Noon
Confessions 2:00 - 3:00 P.M.
Solemn Liturgy 7:30 P.M.

HOLY SATURDAY

Confessions 11:00 A.M. - 12 Noon and 3:30 - 5:00 P.M.
Easter Vigil and Solemn Mass of the Resurrection - 7:30 P.M.

EASTER SUNDAY

Regular Sunday Masses
8:00, 9:30, 11:00, 12:30 P.M.

The Greenbelt Labor

Day Festival Meeting

will be held as scheduled Tuesday, March 31 at 8:00 P.M. in the City Council Chambers.

The agenda includes:

I Adoption of By-Laws

II Election of Officers

II Plans for 1970 Festival

All organizational representatives are urged to attend.

The public is invited.

Letters! Letters!

To the Editor:

In my letter of last week I suggested three actions that could be undertaken concerning the present school site.

This week I strongly urge that all embark on a letter-writing campaign. The following people (even to be exact) are some of the people I feel should be written to as soon as possible.

They are our two U. S. Senators: Charles McC. Mathias and Joseph D. Tydings, Senate Office Bldg., Wash., D. C., 20510; our Congressman is: Lawrence J. Hogan, House Office Bldg., Wash., D. C., 20510.

Our Governor is Marvin Mandel, State House, Annapolis, Md., 21401.

The State Senator from District 1 (in which Greenbelt is located) is: Senator Edward T. Conroy, Md. State Senate, Annapolis, Md., 21401.

The three State Delegates from District 1 are: Mrs. Pauline H.

Menes and Messrs. Arthur Dorman and Andrew O. Mothershead, Md. House of Delegates, Annapolis, Md., 21401.

The Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners is: Mr. Francis J. Aluisi, County Court House, Upper Marlboro Md., 20870.

The Chairman of the School Board is: Mr. W. Carroll Beatty, County Court House, Upper Marlboro, Md., 20870.

The Chairman of The Md.-National Capitol Park and Planning Commission is: Mr. Walter C. Dutton, Jr., 6600 Kenilworth Avenue, Riverdale, Md., 20840.

We need to deluge our elected and appointed representatives with many, many letters telling them just how we feel about the school site.

Many people who do not attend meetings would surely be able to write at least eleven letters for so noble a cause!

Good luck.

Irene Hensel

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10:00 a.m. Family Worship Service (Children Welcome)
11:00 a.m. Church School for Children and Youth (Child Care 10-12)
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11:00 A.M. Special Easter PROBE Sessions:
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A BASIS FOR SEX MORALITY
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Good Friday Watch Service 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.
In cooperation with the Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church
Easter Sunday Service
AN EXPERIENCE OF JOY AND HAPPINESS
Sermon: Sending Up Balloons

Save Our Community
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GET THE LIST OF OFFICIALS FROM TWIN PINES, HIGHS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES
Attend These Meetings:
Thurs., April 2, 1-3 p.m., Hyattsville County Service Bldg. — Commissioner Aluisi meets the citizens.
Fri., April 3, 8 p.m., Parkdale High School — School budget hearings, open to the public.
Tues., April 7 (hour to be announced), Upper Marlboro Annex Bldg., School Board Hearing Room — SOC Committee will testify.
Write:
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ADULT SPRING CLASSES

Register now, call the Greenbelt Recreation Department for the following classes.

Class/Location

Arts & Oils - Youth Center Tues. 1-3 p.m. \$10.00/ 5 lessons

Beginner Knitting - Evening - to be arranged 10.00/ 7 lessons

Bridge Club - Youth Center Fri. 1 - 3 p.m. FREE

Cake Decorating - Youth Center Wed. 7-8 p.m. 12.50/10 lessons

Ceramics -

Advanced - Youth Center Tue. 8-10 p.m. 10.00/ 5 lessons

Ceramics - Youth Center Thu. 10-12 noon 10.00/ 5 lessons

Ceramics - Youth Center Thu. 8-10 p.m. 10.00/ 5 lessons

Dog Obedience - Youth Center Tue. 1-3 p.m. 12.50/ 10 lessons
Tue. 8:30-10 p.m. 12.50/10 lessons

First Aid - Center School Thu. 7-9 p.m. FREE

Golf - Braden Field - To be arranged 12.50/10 lessons

Open Gym - Youth Center - Call for information FREE

Tennis - Braden Courts - To be arranged 12.50/10 lessons

Tie and Dye - Youth Center Tue. 10-12 noon 4.00/ 1 lesson
1 day workshop - April 14

Women's Exercise - Youth Center Thu. 1:30-2:30 p.m. FREE

YOUTH CENTER SCHEDULE FOR EASTER VACATION

Friday, March 27 9-10:30 a.m. Roller Skating Grades 1, 2 & 3
10:30-12 noon Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6

12 noon-5:30 Open Gym
7-10 p.m. Open Gym

Saturday, March 28 1-5 p.m. Basketball Tournament - Quarter Finals

5-7 p.m. Family Roller Skating - All are invited
8-11 p.m. KAVA, featuring "Sudden Rush"

Sunday, March 29 7-10 p.m. Open Gym

Monday, March 30 9-10:30 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt, Greenbelt Lake Park. Pre-School thru sixth grade
10:30-12 noon Roller Skating

Grades 1, 2 & 3
12 noon-1:30 p.m. Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6

1:30-5:30 p.m. Open Gym
3:30-5:30 p.m. 1st & 2nd grade Arts and Crafts

7-10 p.m. Open Gym

Tuesday, March 31 9-10:30 a.m. Roller Skating Grades 1, 2 & 3
10:30-12 noon Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6

12 noon-1:30 p.m. Scavenger Hunt Boys & Girls 12 and Under

12 noon-5:30 p.m. Open Gym
3:30-5:30 p.m. Regular Arts & Crafts Prog.
7-10 p.m. Open Gym

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NOSE GAYS you can pick on this large treed lot all around this nice 4 BR brick home with fireplace and full basement. Most conveniently located and ready to go on your FHA/VA terms for \$22,950.

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Tennis Association Meets

The Greenbelt Tennis Association will have their annual spring meeting and election of officers in the Greenbelt Municipal Building at the corner of Southway and Crescent, on Thursday, April 2, at 8 p.m.

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Happy-happy birthday to Tod Krebsbach, 1-A Laurel, who celebrated his sixth birthday on March 19.



151 Centerway MLS 474-5700

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INCOME

Carnival	\$1,227.82	
Organizations	801.36	
Cash Donations	382.50	
Uncashed Check (1968)	25.00	
	\$2,436.72	\$2,436.72

EXPENSES

Stationery & Supplies	\$ 52.90	
Carnival Area	327.80	
Advertising	188.53	
Special Events	310.74	
Trophies & Awards	381.25	
Parade	60.00	
Festival Overhead	58.65	
	\$1,379.87	
Outstanding Check No. 24	10.00	
	\$1,389.87	\$1,389.87

NET GAIN

Cash on Hand 4-15-69	953.51	
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